SENATE BILL 3719

By Herron

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 54, Chapter 7, Part 1, relative to the chief administrative officer of certain highway departments.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-7-104(b), is amended by adding the following as new subdivision (8):

(8) This subsection (b) shall not apply in any county having a population of not less than eleven thousand seven hundred fifty-six (11,756) nor more than eleven thousand eight hundred (11,800), according to the 2010 federal census or any subsequent federal census. In any county to which this subdivision (b)(8) applies, the sole qualifications for the chief administrative officer shall be a high school diploma or its equivalent and at least four (4) years of experience in the use of construction equipment used for highway construction or maintenance.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

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